

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Damian Fiolka et al.	Art Unit :	2872
Serial No. :	10/580,698	Examiner :	Jade R. Chwasz
Filed :	November 29, 2006	Conf. No. :	5439
Title :	POLARIZATION-MODULATING OPTICAL ELEMENT		

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION TO WITHDRAW

Applicant hereby petitions under §1.313(c)(2) for the withdrawal of this application from issue to permit consideration of an Information Disclosure Statement filed in a continuing application. The issue fee was paid on January 18, 2011.

A request for continued examination of this application under §1.114 is being filed simultaneously herewith. The request for continued examination is intended to continue this application on the grant of this petition.

The petition fee required by 1.17(h) in the amount of \$130 is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization.

Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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